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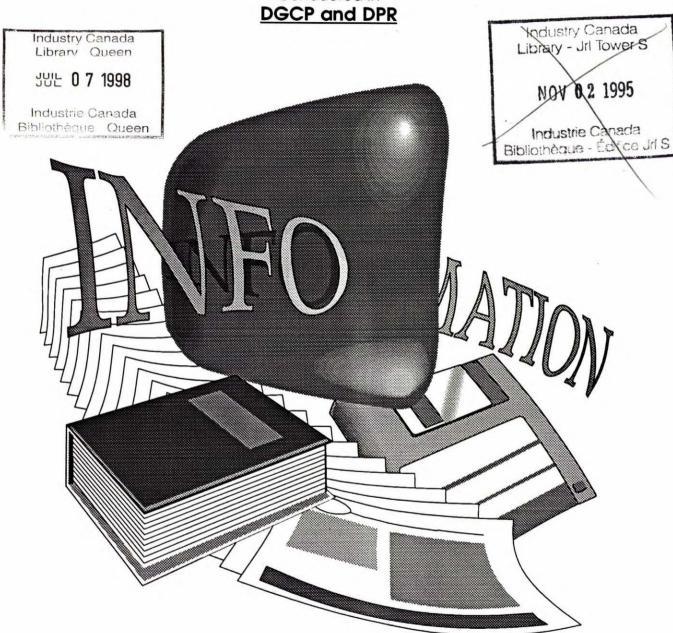


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#### FOREWORD

This catalog was produced under the general framework of the *Management of Government Information Holdings* policy and under the specific framework of a joint pilot project conducted by DGIM/Informatics Planning and DGAT.

As the production of information resource inventories is a fairly new trend with very few or no precedent in DOC, the methodology had to be set "in-house". The starting point was simply to ask people: "What information do you depend on to do your work?" Interviews were conducted in DPR and DGCP and a hundred and fourteen (114) questionnaires were filled.

This catalog begins with a set of indexes and they are identified by colored paper: yellow for Subjects; pink for Products; blue for Functions and green for Hardware/Software.

The best way to use this catalog is to search through the indexes for the desired subjects, products, functions, hardware or software. The related Information Resource Entities (IREs) are listed under each entry with their corresponding inventory page number.

The inventory section begins with a definition of each of the fields used in the description of the IREs. A glossary of the different acronyms used is provided in appendix.

The first step in the preparation of this catalog was to normalize all the information collected, define the properties of identified IREs and standardize the key words used as subjects, products and functions.

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Some IREs were identified by more than one person or organization and some IREs are used horizontally, throughout the Department, such as the DOC *Telephone Book*, *Library Services* and *Subscriptions*; these are related to a special unit called "All Organizations".

Along this process and out of the 114 questionnaires completed in DGCP and DPR, 60 IREs were retained and are documented in this catalog. It represents but the tip of the iceberg, yet we hope to pursue this endeavour as it will undoubtedly prove its usefulness in the future.

All the information in this catalog is contained in a database. We are aware of the fact that it would be more user-friendly to consult this database from your workstations rather than going through this catalog. It would also facilitate the maintenance of the inventory and this catalog would practically become useless. But at this point, it is not possible to access this database on a network environment.

If you have any comments or questions regarding this catalog, please feel free to contact Marc Bélanger (993-5475) or Paul Duval (990-4635) at DGIM/DCI (Fax.: 941-0977) or through the Banyan E-Mail.

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Related organization: unit, directorate, section, branch using the resource.

**Type:** The resource is a service, a source or a system or a

combination of these.

**Mode:** Automated, manual or a combination.

**Status:** Indicates if the resource is under development, inactive or

phasing out. Not mentioned when operational.

**Purpose:** A short description of what the IRE consists of and what it

provides.

**Subjects:** Major topics covered in or by the IRE.

**Products:** Outputs, services, reports etc.. delivered by the IRE, directly

or indirectly.

**Functions:** Programs or functions supported by the IRE.

**Availability:** The scope of authorized users of the resource.

**Confidentiality**: Protection and security access level of the IRE.

**Authority:** Responsability level for retention, disclosure, disposal etc., of

data contained in the IRE.

**Beneficiaries:** Internal and external users of the IRE.

**Retrieval:** Description of the method used for information retrieval.

Hardware: Specification and/or brand name of hardware used in the

case of automated IREs

**Software:** Specification and/or brand name of software used in the

case of automated IREs

**Contact**: Acronym of the related organization with fax and/or phone

number.

#### ARCS

All organizations

Type: Mode: System

Automated

Purpose:

A modular financial system using an SQL database, It

provides access to authorized clients based on their profile. It allows reporting on O&M and salary budget, hard and soft

commitments and expenditures.

Subjects:

BUDGET / COMMITMENTS / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE /

PROJECTS / SALARIES / SOB

Products/

Services:

AUDIT REPORTS / BYOP / FINANCIAL REPORTS / MYOP /

**SUMMARIES** 

Functions:

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / MONITORING / PLANNING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements;

Financial Administration Act

**Beneficiaries**:

Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

ENCORE MULTIMAX 520 / HONEYWELL-BULL CP6 / IBM

COMPATIBLE / MODEM

Prog Language:

C; COBOL

Contact:

**DGIM** 

Phone:

#### BIX

#### **DPP Strategic Planning**

Type: Mode: Service **Automated** 

Purpose:

A set of electronic conference topics on development in

information technology.

Subjects:

HYPERTEXT / SECURITY / TECHNOLOGY / TELECOMMUNICATIONS

**Functions:** 

**RESEARCH & DEVELOPMMENT** 

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative

Requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word

Hardware:

Epson Equity + / MODEM

Software:

Procomm Plus

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, .

Phone:

### Blisscom Survey Results

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Status:

Inactive

Purpose:

Database containing a list of names, addresses, cause of

impairement, level of speech and reading, type of

residence, use of augmentative communications, profile of computer use and contacts to identify the needs of speech

impared canadians.

Subjects:

DISABLED

Products/

Services:

**STUDIES** 

**Functions:** 

SOCIAL INTEGRATION

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

Confidential

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; Designated Groups

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

DBase III +

Prog Language:

DBASE

Contact:

DGCP/DPP.

Fax:

998-5923

Phone:

### **CRC Library**

**CRC** Institute

Type: Mode: Source/Service Combination

Purpose:

This information resource consists of 12,000 monographies, 350 subscriptions, CDROMs, electronic subscriptions (public databases). It provides the necessary information to support managerial decisions and departmental activities.

Subjects:

BROADCASTING / EXTERNAL SERVICES / HARDWARE / INDUSTRIES / INFORMATICS / INVENTIONS / RESEARCH &

DEVELOPMENT / SOFTWARE / TECHNOLOGY /

TELECOMMUNICATIONS / TELESAT

Products/

Services:

INDEXES / INVENTORY / PUBLICATIONS / STATUS REPORT

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / INFORMATION DISSEMINATION / MANAGING / PLANNING / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

**Availability:** 

All Government

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; International Business/Organizations;

Canadian Business/ Organizations; General Public; Federal

Institutions; Prov/Municipal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Account Nane or Number: Date/Time

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Contact:

CRC Institute 998-2202

Phone:

#### Career Information Centre

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

Source/Service

Mode:

Manual

Purpose:

A physical area containing all information on career

development for all Public Service Employees. Information on competitions, career types, training, education, employee

assistance and development etc...

Subjects:

CAREER / COURSE / EMPLOYMENT EQUITY / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

AGREEMENTS / CONTRACTS / EMPLOYEE SETTLEMENTS

**Functions:** 

CAREER ASSIGNMENT PROGRAM / CAREER PLANNING / EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / EMPLOYMENT EQUITY PROGRAM / HUMAN RESOURCES PLANNING / STAFFING /

TRAINING / WORK FORCE ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM

**Availability:** 

All Government

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

DGHR

**Beneficiaries**:

All Employees; General Public; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Contact: Phone:

DGHR/DPR, 990-4538

### Correspondence Tracking System (manual)

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type: Mode: System Manual

Purpose:

Records of all incoming and outgoing mail in the branch. It provides reference document on all mail received or sent; it

can be used as BF on deadlines to meet etc...

Subjects:

CORRESPONDENCE / GUIDELINES

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / CORRESPONDENCE CORRESPONDENCE

LOGS / LETTERS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected

**Authority:** 

DPR

**Beneficiaries:** 

All Employees

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Date/Time

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Phone:

#### DAI File Index

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type:

System

Mode:

Automated

Purpose:

Housekeeping and operational files. It provides an historical

record and management control.

Subjects:

FINANCE / PERSON YEARS / PROJECTS

Products/

Services:

**INDEX** 

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING / PLANNING

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

Secret

**Authority:** 

Department of Communications Act; Treasury Board Policy,

Procedures or Manuals; Department Policy, Procedures or

**Manuals** 

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs MIN;

General Public

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number; Date/Time

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

WP 5.1

Contact:

DGCP/DPP,

Fax:

998-5923

Phone:

#### **DAI Files**

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type: Mode: System Manual

Purpose:

All DAI files and associated documentation. It provides info, planning assistance and reference material in support of

DAI's activities.

Subjects:

CORRESPONDENCE / FINANCE / INFORMATICS / PERSON

YEARS / PROJECTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability, Protected; Confidential

**Authority:** 

Department of Communications Act; Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or

Manuals; Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

All employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region;

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, 998-5923 991-6827

Fax: Phone:

# DAI Financial System

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Purpose:

Spreadsheet based financial system. It provides an accurate

tracking of DAI financial situation

Subjects:

BUDGET / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / PROJECTS / TRAVELS

Products/

Services:

BYOP / SPREADSHEETS / SUMMARIES

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLLING / MANAGING /

MONITORING

Availability:

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

Epson Equity +

Software:

LOTUS 123 / BANYAN VINES

Contact:

DGCP, 998-5923

Fax: Phone:

### DAI Mail Log

DGCP Communication Development & Planning

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Purpose:

Records of all incoming and outgoing mail in the branch. It provides accurate and up-to-date records of activities within

the Informatics and Application Group.

Subjects:

CORRESPONDENCE

Products/

Services:

CORRESPONDENCE / CORRESPONDENCE LOGS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

Protected

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/dgS;

Designated Group; MIN; International Business/Organizations;

Canadian Business/Organizations; Federal Institutions; Provincial/Municipal Institutions; Members of Parliament

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number; Date/Time

Hardware:

**TRILLIUM 386** 

Software:

**DBase IV** 

Contact:

DGCP/DPP 998-5923

Fax: Phone:

### **DGCP Financial System**

DGCP Communication Development & Planning

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Purpose:

Spreadsheet based financial system. It provides an accurate

tracking of DGCP financial situation.

Subjects:

BUDGET / FINANCE / GRANTS & CONTRIBUTIONS / PERSON

YEARS / POLICIES

Products/

Services:

BYOP / MYOP / SPREADSHEETS / SUMMARIES

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLLING / MANAGING /

MONITORING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

Epson Equity +

Software:

LOTUS 123 / BANYAN VINES

Contact:

DGCP, 957-8839 990-4288

Fax: Phone:

### **DGCP Personnel Operations**

DGCP Communication Development & Planning

Type: Mode: Service Manual

Purpose:

Training plans, classification and staffing information related to the preparation of annual appraisals. It provides

information for Branch planning exercise including salary planning, promotion, training needs and current status of

personnel in DGCP.

Subjects:

EMPLOYEE APPRAISAL / EVALUATION / MOBILIZATION /

PERSON YEARS / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

EVALUATION REPORT / PERSONNEL REPORT / STATUS REPORT

**Functions:** 

HUMAN RESOURCES PLANNING / PLANNING / PREAP /

STAFFING / TRAINING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

Confidential

Authority:

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements;

**PSC** Regulations

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word

Contact:

DGCP. 957-8839

Fax: Phone:

### **DOC Memoranda & Reports**

DGCP Communication Development & Planning

Type:

System/Source

Mode:

Manual

Purpose:

Administrative Policies and Programs, directives,

requirements, regulations etc.. It provides for planning,

publicity and promotion.

Subjects:

BRIEFS / DIRECTIVES / GUIDELINES / OPERATING PRINCIPLES /

**POLICIES** 

Products/

Services:

BYOP / PLANS

**Functions:** 

MARKETING / PLANNING / REGIONAL ECONOMIC PROGRAM

Availability:

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability; Protected; Confidential

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; MIN;

Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Contact:

DGCP, 957-8839

Fax: Phone:

### **DOC Telephone Book**

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Alphabetical and organizational list containing telephone

numbers of all employees in DOC. It also provides

information on emergency numbers, title and location of employee with fax number and a bilingual organizational designators list, with indication as to whether or not voice

messaging service is available.

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

All Employees

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Contact:

ADMCM/DPAC

Fax:

954-6761 990-7541

Phone:

### **DPP Financial System**

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type:

System/Source/Service

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

Spreadsheet based financial system. It provides an accurate

tracking of DPP financial situation.

Subjects:

BUDGET / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / PROJECTS / TRAVELS

Products/

Services:

BYOP / SPREADSHEETS / SUMMARIES

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING / MANAGING /

MONITORING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

OGIVAR 386

Software:

LOTUS 123 / BANYAN VINES

Contact:

DGCP/DPP,

Fax:

941-0178

Phone:

### **DSS Standing Offer List**

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

A list of all accredited suppliers (of goods or services) for the Government of Canada. It provides for the acquisition of these services. (Automatization is under development in DOC).

Subjects:

ACQUISITIONS / COURSE / EXTERNAL SERVICES / HARDWARE / INDUSTRIES / INFORMATICS / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / PATENTS / SOFTWARE / TECHNOLOGY / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

AGREEMENTS / CONTRACTS / COURSE CALENDAR

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / TRAINING

Availability:

Canada Wide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region;

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Federal Institutions; General Public

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Contact: Phone:

DGAT 990-1912

#### DTP Files

DTP Research & Technology Policy

Type: Mode: System Manual

Purpose:

All DTP files and associate documentation. It provides info, planning assistance and reference material in support of

DTP's activities.

Subjects:

CABINET / CORRESPONDENCE / DIRECTIVES / EVALUATION / INDUSTRIES / OPERATING PRINCIPLES / POLICIES / PROJECTS / PS2000 PHILOSOPHY / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT / TRAVELS

Products/

Services:

CORRESPONDENCE / GREEN PAPERS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / MARKETING / RESEARCH &

**DEVELOPMENT** 

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability; Protected; Confidential

**Authority:** 

Department of Communications Act; Administrative

Requirements; Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals;

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region;

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Contact:

DGCP/DTP, 952-0566 990-2000

Fax: Phone:

#### DTP Financial System

DTP Research & Technology Policy

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Purpose:

Spreadsheet based financial system. It provides an accurate

tracking of DTP financial situation.

Subjects:

BUDGET / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / PROJECTS / TRAVELS

Products/

Services:

BYOP / SPREADSHEETS / SUMMARIES

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING / MANAGING /

MONITORING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries**:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

Epson Equity +

Software:

LOTUS 123 / BANYAN VINES

Contact:

DGCP/DTP 952-0566

Fax:

Phone: 990-2000

# DTP Financial Tracking System

DTP Research & Technology Policy

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Purpose:

A financial tracking system providing control on expenditures

for a specific collator (1460 37 330) and its various projects.

Subjects:

EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / PROJECTS

Products/

Services:

AUDIT REPORTS / SPREADSHEETS / SUMMARIES

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / MONITORING / PLANNING /

REGIONAL ECONOMIC PROGRAM / SPACE INDUSTRY

**DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM** 

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Department of Communications Act

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Designated Group

Retrieval:

**ID Number** 

Hardware:

OGIVAR 386

Software:

LOTUS 123

Contact:

DGCP/DTP,

Fax:

990-4215

Phone:

### Database for PSC Training

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System

**Mode**: Automated

Purpose:

A database query system developed by a member of DPR. It contains information on courses, trainers and trainees, places, date, etc. for PSC courses at Carson centre and

EX-SM training at Touraine.

Subjects:

COURSE / COURSE EVALUATION / EXPENDITURES /

MANDATORY TRAINING / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

CONTRACTS / FINANCIAL REPORTS / MANAGEMENT

COMPLEMENT LISTING / STATISTICAL REPORTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTER SECONDMENT / CAREER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

/ PREAP / TRAINING

Availability:

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

Protected

**Authority:** 

DPR

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

Q&A

Prog Language:

DBASE

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Phone:

### Departmental Correspondence Requirements

All organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Departmental guidelines for DGs, ADM and DM memos, letterhead, quality of paper, letters etc.. It ensures uniformity

for correspondence in DOC.

Subjects:

BRIEFS / CORRESPONDENCE / DIRECTIVES / GUIDELINES /

OPERATING PRINCIPLES / POLICIES

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / CORRESPONDENCE / LETTERS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

ADMCM

Beneficiaries:

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; MIN

Contact:

SADM

Fax:

Phone:

### Departmental Personnel Management System

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System/Source/Service

Mode:

Automated

Purpose:

Automated system providing information on employees,

government wide.

Subjects:

COURSE / EVALUATION / MOBILIZATION / OFFICIAL

LANGUAGES / PERSON YEARS

Products/

Services:

FINANCIAL REPORTS / STATISTICAL REPORTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTER SECONDMEND / CAREER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / CAREER PLANNING / CONTROLLING / HUMAN RESOURCES

PLANNING / MANAGING / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / PREAP /

STAFFING / TRAINING

**Availability:** 

All Government

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected

**Authority:** 

DSS, PSC, TB

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Account Name or Number

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE / IBM MAINFRAME

Software:

SIM

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Phone:

#### Dialog, Infomart & Infoglobe

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type: Mode: Service

Automated

Purpose:

Full text listings of newspapers, business directories, E-mail

systems and non-newspaper news sources. It provides historical and background information for administrative

operations policy decisions.

Subjects:

BUSINESS / CLIENTS / DISABLED / TECHNOLOGY /

TELECOMMUTING / VIDEOTEX

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Date/Time

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE / MODEM

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, 998-5923

Fax:

**Phone**: 990-4316

#### **Disabled Issues Contact Database**

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type:

System/Source

Mode:

Automated

Status:

Under development

Purpose:

A database containing names, organization name and type, address, phone/fax, disability description, area of interest or specialisation, language, case-specific notes and date of last contact. It provides consultation contacts on various issues related to disabilities.

Subjects:

DISABLED

Products/

Services:

MAILING LISTS

**Functions:** 

**HEALTH & SAFETY / SOCIAL INTEGRATION** 

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative

requirements

**Beneficiaries**:

Designated Groups; General Public; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

DBase IV

Contact:

DGCP/DPP,

Fax:

998-5923

Phone:

### Disabled Strategy Secretariat

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type:

Service

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

Meeting minutes, agendas, teleconference attendance, member's mailing list, audio-vusual equipment inventory etc... It provides administrative support to the Committee on

Communication for Persons with Disabilities.

Subjects:

DISABLED

Products/

Services:

**DISCUSSION PAPERS / MINUTES** 

**Functions:** 

SOCIAL INTEGRATION

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

Secret

**Authority:** 

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements; Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals;

Copyright Act

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; MIN; International

Business/Organizations; General Public; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions; Prov/Municipal

Institutions; Members of Parliament

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number; Date/Time

Hardware:

TRILLIUM 386

Software:

WP 5.1 / BANYAN VINES

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, 998-5923

Fax: Phone:

### **Executive Correspondence Secretariat**

All Organizations

Type:

System

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

All incoming ministerial correspondence. It provides

up-to-date info on all subjects related to the mandates of

the Department of Communications.

Subjects:

**ALL SUBJECTS** 

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / CORRESPONDENCE

**Functions:** 

BROADCASTING / COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT / ECONOMIC

DEVELOPMENT

**Availability**:

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

Secret

Authority:

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative

requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; MIN;

Federal Institutions; Prov/Municipal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Date/Time

Contact:

SADM,

Phone:

#### **Federal Cabinet Documents**

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Historical records of cabinet decisions. It provides info on

programs, initiatives and other cabinet approved

instruments.

Subjects:

CABINET / DIRECTIVES / EXPENDITURES / GUIDELINES /

**OPERATING PRINCIPLES / POLICIES** 

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / CORRESPONDENCE / TB SUBMISSIONS

**Functions:** 

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT / REGIONAL ECONOMIC

PROGRAM

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

**Confidentiality:** 

Secret

**Authority:** 

Various Legislative Acts (DOC, Radio, Teleglobe, and Telesat

Canada Acts); Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals

Beneficiaries:

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; MIN

Retrieval:

ID Number; Date/Time

Contact:

DGCP/DPP,

Fax:

990-4215

Phone:

## Federal Working Group and CCALS

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type: Mode: Source / Service Combination

Purpose:

Federal department members providing information on government programs, policies and current activities in support of cultural development for Aboriginal people. It also provides consultation on approaches to develop new technology capabilities i.e.: Computer Coding for Aboriginal

Language Syllabics (CCALS).

Subjects:

ABORIGINALS / CULTURE / INFORMATICS / LANGUAGES / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT / STANDARDE / TECHNOLOGY /

TELE-EDUCATION

Products/

Services:

**DISCUSSION PAPERS / MINUTES** 

**Functions:** 

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT / ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT / INFORMATION DISSEMINATION / REGIONAL ECONOMIC

PROGRAM / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

**Availability:** 

Federal Government Departments; Authorized Users

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Department of Communications Act

**Beneficiaries:** 

Designated Group; General Public

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Date / Time

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

**BANYAN VINES** 

Contact:

DGCP/DPP

Phone:

#### H.R. Policies and Manuals

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Information on policies and directives used as action

guidelines and as tool for establishing operational

framework.

Subjects:

DESIGNATED GROUPS / DIRECTIVES / GUIDELINES /

OPERATING PRINCIPLES / POLICIES / PS2000 PHILOSOPHY

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / EEP REPORT / PS2000 REPORTS / SPEECHES

**Functions:** 

EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / EMPLOYMENT EQUITY PROGRAM / HEALTH AND SAFETY / HUMAN RESOURCES

PLANNING / STAFF RELATIONS / WORK FORCE ADJUSTMENT

**PROGRAM** 

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Department

of Communications Act

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; Federal Institutions

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Fax: Phone:

#### **IRAP-M Database**

**Technology Transfer Office** 

Type:

System

Mode:

Automated

Status:

**Under Development** 

Purpose:

Info on technology, project manager's name, technology advisor's names/city/province, dates of assessment, travel costs. It provides coordination, financial tracking of costs per assessment number of proposals (statistics) and historical

overview.

Subjects:

EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / INDUSTRIES / PROJECTS /

TECHNOLOGY / TRAVELS

Products/

Services:

STATUS REPORT

**Functions:** 

MANAGING

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

Protected

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries**:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

DBase IV

Prog Language:

**DBASE** 

Contact:

CRC Inst./Corp. Dev./TTO,

Fax:

998-3185

Phone:

#### IRAP-R Database

**Technology Transfer Office** 

Type:

System

Mode:

Automated

Status:

**Under Development** 

Purpose:

Info on technology description, company name, project

amount, scientific authority, project's manager's name and status of project. It provides history of the project to date.

Subjects:

BUSINESS / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / INDUSTRIES / PROJECTS

/ TECHNOLOGY

Products/

Services:

STATUS REPORT

**Functions:** 

MANAGING / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

DBase IV

**Prog Language:** 

**DBASE** 

Contact:

CRC Inst./Corp. Dev./TTO,

Fax:

998-3185

Phone:

#### **IWGDIS** Database

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type: Mode: System/Source **Automated** 

Purpose:

Coordinates of various organizations (tel. number, address etc..) language of correspondence, conference attendance logs, requests for proceedings and record-specific notes. It

provides stats and info on people interested in

Interdepartmental Working Group on Database Industry

Support and case-specific mailing lists.

Subjects:

**BUSINESS / INDUSTRIES / PARTNERSHIP** 

Products/

Services:

CORRESPONDENCE / MAILING LISTS

**Functions:** 

MARKETING / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

**Availability:** 

Canada Wide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups: Canadian Business/Organization:

Federal Institutions; Prov/Municipal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

DBase IV

Prog Language:

**DBASE** 

Contact:

DGCP/DPP.

Fax:

998-5923

Phone:

#### **IWGDIS Secretariat**

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type:

Service

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

General administrative and secretarial related tasks. It

provides support to the Interdepartmental Working Group on

Database Industry Support.

Subjects:

INDUSTRIES / INFORMATICS

Products/

Services:

MAILING LISTS / MINUTES

**Functions:** 

**RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT** 

Availability:

All Government

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; International Business/Organizations; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions; Prov/Municipal Institutions; Members of Parliament

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number; Date/Time

Hardware:

TRILLIUM 386

Software:

WP 5.1 / BANYAN VINES

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, 998-5923

Fax: Phone:

### Intellectual Property Information System

**Technology Transfer Office** 

Type:

System

Mode:

Combination

Status:

**Under Development** 

Purpose:

Licence agreements conditions, patent agreements,

inventor's name, invoices, revenues, royalties, associated directorate, projects, licencees, patent agents etc.. It

provides parameters (BF, termination dates) on agreements,

payments and inventor's revenues.

Subjects:

INVENTIONS / INVENTORS / LICENCES / PATENTS / PROOF OF

CONCEPT / ROYALTIES

Products/

Services:

MAINTENANCE REPORT / REVENUE REPORTS / ROYALTY

**REPORTS** 

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / MONITORING

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

Confidential

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

DBase IV

Prog Language:

DBASE

Contact:

CRC Inst./Corp. Dev./TTO,

Fax:

998-3185

Phone:

### Intellectual Property Secretariat

DTP Research & Technology Policy

Type:

System/Source

Mode:

Manual

Purpose:

Info relating to Intellectual Property policies in DOC and other departments (reports, minute, position papers etc..) It

provides guidelines and background info for Intellectual

property management and policies.

Subjects:

BUSINESS / DIRECTIVES / GUIDELINES / INDUSTRIES /

INVENTIONS / INVENTORS / PROOF OF CONCEPT

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / CORRESPONDENCE / POLICY PAPERS /

**STUDIES** 

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING

**Availability:** 

All Government

Confidentiality:

Confidential

**Authority:** 

ISTC Science and Technology Policy; Treasury Board Policy,

Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or

Manuals; Copyright Act

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs Designated Groups; International Business/Organizations; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Contact:

Fax: Phone: DGCP/DTP, 952-0566 990-9233

#### Internet

### **DPP Strategic Planning**

Type:

System/Source/Service

Mode:

Automated

Purpose:

An electronic bulletin board containing info on technology

updates (EDI, social and health issues vs computers etc..).

Subjects:

BUSINESS / CULTURE / INDUSTRIES / SOCIETY / STUDIES /

TECHNOLOGY / TELECOMMUTING / VIDEOTEX

Products/

Services:

**POLICY PAPERS** 

**Functions:** 

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT / INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements; Treasury Board Policy,

Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or

Manuals

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs;

Designated Groups; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, 941-0178

Fax: Phone:

#### LINK

#### **DPP Strategic Planning**

Type: Mode: Service Manual

Purpose:

Reports, newsletters, briefing extracts, studies and a

consulting service. It provides qualitative and statistical info

on the development and growth of the electronic

information industries in Canada and the U.S.

Subjects:

BUSINESS / HARDWARE / INDUSTRIES / INFORMATICS /

NETWORKS / SOFTWARE / TECHNOLOGY

Products/

Services:

**INDEXES** 

**Functions:** 

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT / ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT /

**PLANNING** 

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; MIN;

Canadian Business/Organization

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Contact:

DGCP/DPP, 998-5923

Fax:

990-4316

Phone:

# **Library Services**

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source/Service Combination

Purpose:

This Information resource consists of 20,000 monographies, 800 subscriptions, audio and video cassettes, microfiches, CDROMs, electronic subscriptions (public databases). It provides the necessary information to support managerial decisions and departmental activities.

Subjects:

**ALL SUBJECTS** 

Products/

Services:

INDEXES / INVENTORY / PUBLICATIONS / STATUS REPORT

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / INFORMATION DISSEMINATION / MANAGING / PLANNING / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Manuals or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administratrive Requirements

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; International Business/Organizations; General Public; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions;

Prov/Municipal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Account Name or Number: Date/Time

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

**BANYAN VINES** 

Contact:

DGAT/LIBRARY,

Fax:

990-7016

Phone:

# Ministerial Correspondence Registry

DGCP Communication Development & Planning

Type: Mode: System Manual

Purpose:

Records of all incoming and outgoing mail in the branch. It

provides reference document on all mail received or sent; it

can be used as BF on deadlines to meet etc...

Subjects:

CORRESPONDENCE / GUIDELINES

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / CORRESPONDENCE / CORRESPONDENCE

LOGS / LETTERS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CONTROLLING / MONITORING

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Date/Time

Contact:

DGCP, 957-8839

Fax: Phone:

**e**: 990-4295

#### Miscellaneous Reference Document

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Dictionaries, grammars, hardware and software tutorials and

user's guide. It provides helpand reference for the

preparation and revision of written documents or for the operation of computers, peripherals and softwares.

Subjects:

DIRECTIVES / GUIDELINES / HARDWARE / LANGUAGES /

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / SOFTWARE

Products/

Services:

TRANSLATED DOCUMENTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

General Availability

Authority:

Departmental policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative

requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

All Employees; Federal Institutions

# Mobilization Deplacement Information DB

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

A Q&A database and a manual filing system as backup containing the inventory of all mobility of personnel in DOC. The manual filing system provides all written documentation

regarding mobility of personnel.

Subjects:

MOBILIZATION / PERSON YEARS

Products/

Services:

EMPLOYEE SETTLEMENTS / MANAGEMENT COMPLEMENT

LISTING / NEWSLETTER

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTER SECONDMENT / CAREER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / CAREER PLANNING / CONTROLLING / HUMAN RESOURCES

PLANNING / PREAP / STAFFING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected

**Authority:** 

DPR

Beneficiaries:

All Employees

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

Q&A

Prog Language:

**DBASE** 

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Fax:

Phone:

### NCR - Financial Information System

All Organizations

Type: Mode: System/Source Automated

Status:

Phasing Out

Purpose:

An automated system used for budgeting, controlling and

reporting financial information. It provides history on financial

transactions related to specific budgets.

Subjects:

BUDGET / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / GRANTS &

**CONTRIBUTIONS** 

Products/

Services:

AMR / FINANCIAL REPORTS / STATISTICAL REPORTS

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / PLANNING / MONITORING

**Availability:** 

**Federal Government Departments** 

Confidentiality:

Protected

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental

Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

All employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region;

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Group; MIN

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

HONEYWELL-BULL CP6 / IBM COMPATILE

Software:

**VIP** 

Contact:

**ADMCM** 

Phone:

#### **NMCS**

#### All Organizations

Type: Mode:

Status:

System/Source Automated Phasing Out

Purpose:

An inventory of materiel: serial and asset number, item description, distribution account number, quantities and values associated to each item. It provides listings of materiel identified as part of a specific inventory.

Subjects:

**ACQUISITIONS** 

Products/

Services:

**INVENTORY** 

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MONITORING / PLANNING

Availability:

Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

**Protected** 

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs

Retrieval:

Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number

Hardware:

HONEYWELL-BULL CP6 / IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

**VIP** 

Contact: Phone:

DGAT 990-1923

# Official Languages Information System

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System/Source/Service

Mode:

Automated

Purpose:

An automated system providing information on all

employees in the public sector regarding official languages.

Subjects:

COURSE / EVALUATION / MOBILIZATION / OFFICIAL

LANGUAGES / PERSON YEARS / STATISTICS / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

FINANCIAL REPORTS / STATISTICAL REPORTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTER SECONDMENT / CONTROLLING / HUMAN

RESOURCES PLANNING / MANAGING / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES

/ PREAP / STAFFING / TRAINING

**Availability:** 

All Government

Confidentiality:

Protected

Authority:

DSS, PSC, TB

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Account Name or Number

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE / IBM MAINFRAME

Software:

SIM

Contact:

DLRR

Phone:

### Official Languages Training Module

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System/Source/Service

Mode:

Automated

Purpose:

An automated system providing information on language

training at the PSC level.

Subjects:

COURSE / EVALUATION / MOBILIZATION / OFFICIAL

LANGUAGES / PERSON YEARS / STATISTICS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTER SECONDMENT / CONTROLLING / HUMAN

RESOURCES PLANNING / MANAGING / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES

**Availability:** 

All Government

**Confidentiality:** 

**Protected** 

**Authority:** 

**PSC** 

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Account Name or Number

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE / IBM MAINFRAME

Software:

SIM

Contact:

DLRR

Phone:

### **Operational Documents**

**Business Development** 

Type:

Source

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

Memorandas of understanding, loan agreements, contracts, chronologies of events pertaining to each projects etc.. It provides quick reference and an audit trail for specific projects.

Subjects:

**BUDGET / PROJECTS** 

Products/

Services:

AGREEMENTS / CONTRACTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative requirements; Various legislative acts

**Beneficiaries:** 

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region General Public; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions;

Prov/Municipal Institutions

Retrieval:

Person/Place/"Thing"; Date/Time

Hardware:

BANYAN VINES / OGIVAR 386

Contact:

CRC Inst./Corp. Dev./Bus. Dev.,

Fax:

998-5923

Phone:

# Personnel Service Request

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Classification and staffing info, position, responsible manager, contract number, updates or new positions, promotion, union and labour questions, security clearance etc.. It provides tools for staffing, training, mobilization, personnel development etc..

Subjects:

EVALUATION / MANDATORY TRAINING / MOBILIZATION / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / PERSON YEARS / SECURITY

Products/

Services:

PERSONNEL REPORTS

Functions:

ADMINISTER SECONDMENT / ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / CAREER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM / EMPLOYMENT EQUITY PROGRAM / HUMAN RESOURCES PLANNING / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / PREAP / STAFFING / TRAINING / WORK FORCE ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM

**Availability:** 

All Government; Communications Canada

Confidentiality:

Confidential

Authority:

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative Requirements;

Public Service Employment Act

**Beneficiaries:** 

All Employees; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word

### **Policy Papers**

#### DPP Strategic Planning

Type:

Source

Mode:

Combination

Status:

**Under Development** 

Purpose:

Policy papers from throughout the sector, discussion papers

(at various levels), TB submissions, memoranda etc.. It

provides advice to senior management in government and

are used for future reference.

Subjects:

SOCIETY / SPECTRUM / TELECOMMUNICATIONS

**Functions:** 

PLANNING / SPECTRUM MANAGEMENT

**Availability:** 

**Federal Government Departments** 

**Confidentiality:** 

Secret

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Various

legislative acts; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs

Designated Groups; MIN; International Business/Organizations

Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Contact:

DGCP/DPP,

Fax:

941-0178

Phone:

#### **Professional or Business Contacts**

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source Manual

Purpose:

Professional or business contacts are a major source of information in all aspects of work. They allow us to assess, validate, broaden, evaluate, share, advise, consult, guide, exchange, analyse, decide, promote, etc..

Subjects:

ALL SUBJECTS

Products/

Services:

AGREEMENTS / CONTRACTS / DISCUSSION PAPERS /

PERSONAL CONTACT DIRECTORY

**Functions:** 

**ALL FUNCTIONS** 

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

Beneficiaries:

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; MIN; International

Business/Organizations; General Public; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions; Prov/Municipal

Institutions; Members of Parliament

### R&D Stats and Reports

DTP Research & Technology Policy

Type: Mode: System/Source Combination

Purpose:

Various reports on the status of Research and Development

in the telecommunications. International comparisons, statistics, publications, subscriptions etc.. It provides for analysis, industry profiles and trends, policies etc...

Subjects:

INDUSTRIES / PARTNERSHIP / POLICIES / RESEARCH &

DEVELOPMENT / STATISTICS / TECHNOLOGY /

TELECOMMUNICATIONS / TRENDS

Products/

Services:

BRIEFING NOTES / STATISTICAL REPORTS / STATUS REPORT

**Functions:** 

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT / PLANNING / RESEARCH &

**DEVELOPMENT** 

**Availability:** 

Canada Wide

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; International Business/Organizations; General Public; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal

Institutions; Prov/Municipal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

**DELL 386** 

Software:

WP 5.1

Contact:

DGCP/DTP,

Fax:

952-0566

Phone:

#### Recruitment Sources

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System

Mode:

Automated

Purpose:

An inventory system using the Q&A software. It contains

information on Human Resources outside of DOC or Public

Service.

Subjects:

CAREER / DESIGNATED GROUPS / EQUITY

Products/

Services:

CONTRACTS / EEP REPORT / EMPLOYEE SETTLEMENTS / EQUITY

REP. STAT. REPORT

**Functions:** 

EMPLOYMENT EQUITY PROGRAM / HUMAN RESOURCES

PLANNING / STAFFING / WORK FORCE ADJUSTMENT

**PROGRAM** 

**Availability:** 

Authorized users

Confidentiality:

Protected

**Authority:** 

**DPR** 

Beneficiaries:

Designated Groups; General Public Canadian;

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

Q&A

Prog Language:

**DBASE** 

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Phone:

# Regional Economic Development Files

**DPP Strategic Planning** 

Type:

System

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

Fiscal and archival info concerning economic development positions in Canada relating to departmental and regional programs. It provides background info for recommendations, records of advice/briefing notes, retrieval and historics.

Subjects:

BRIEFS / BUDGET / EVALUATION / EXPENDITURES / GRANTS &

CONTRIBUTIONS / INDUSTRIES / POLICIES / SPEECHES /

**TECHNOLOGY** 

Products/

Services:

**AUDIT REPORT / STATUS REPORT** 

Functions:

REGIONAL ECONOMIC PROGRAM / SPACE INDUSTRY

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

Confidentiality:

General Availability; Protected; Confidential

Authority:

Telesat Canada Act; Department of Communications Act;

Administrative Requirements

**Beneficiaries**:

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region;

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; MIN; International

Business/Organizations; General Public; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions; Prov/Municipal

Institutions: Members of Parliament

Retrieval:

**ID Number** 

Hardware:

OGIVAR 386

Contact:

DGCP/DPP,

Fax:

990-4215

Phone:

#### Senior Executive Network

All Organizations

Type: Mode: System

Automated

Purpose:

An interministedrial electronic network allowing senior

executives to share various news items. It provides news on information technology, development applications and

impacts.

Subjects:

INFORMATICS / PARTNERSHIP / TECHNOLOGY

Products/

Services:

**BRIEFING NOTES / SUMMARIES** 

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

**Availability:** 

**Authorized Users** 

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected; Confidential

**Authority:** 

Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administrative

requirements

**Beneficiaries:** 

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; MIN

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; ID Number

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE / MODEM

Software:

SEN

Contact:

ADMRS/MSEN

Phone:

# Statistical Manual System

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type: Mode:

System Manual

Purpose:

A set of statistical reports, manually updated and maintained.

Subjects:

**BUDGET / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE** 

Products/

Services:

STATISTICAL REPORTS

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / PLANNING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

**DPR** 

**Beneficiaries:** 

All Employees

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

### Subscriptions

All Organizations

Type: Mode: Source/Service Combination

Purpose:

Newspapers, magazines, reports, public databases, press clippings etc.. It provides information in various ways to the

subscriptors of the service.

Subjects:

BROADCASTING / DISABLED / EXTERNAL SERVICES / INDUSTRIES / INFORMATICS / MUSEUMS / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT / TELECOMMUNICATIONS / TELESAT

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / INFORMATION DISSEMINATION / MANAGING / PLANNING / RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

Availability: Worldwide

Confidentiality: General Availability

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**Authority:** Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administratrive Requirements

**Beneficiaries**: All Employees; International Business/Organizations; General

Public; Canadian Business/Organization; Federal Institutions;

Prov/Municipal Institutions

**Retrieval:** Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"; ID Number;

Account Name or Number: Date/Time

Hardware: IBM COMPATIBLE / MODEM

Contact:

DGAT/LIBRARY,

Fax: Phone: 990-7016 990-4940

### TTO Financial Tracking System

**Technology Transfer Office** 

Type:

System

Mode:

Combination

Status:

**Under Development** 

Purpose:

Financial transactions and expenditures, invoice amounts and dates, royalty payments. It provides summaries of revenue, royalty and expenditures in travel and purchase of goods and services. It enables comparison of economic

performance between fiscal years.

Subjects:

BUDGET / EXPENDITURES / FINANCE / INVENTIONS / INVENTORS / PATENTS / ROYALTIES / TRAVELS

Products/

Services:

REVENUE REPORTS / ROYALTY REPORTS / SPREADSHEETS /

STATUS REPORT / SUMMARIES

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / MONITORING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

Confidential

**Authority:** 

Treasury Board Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Departmental Policy, Procedures or Manuals; Administratrive Requirements;

Public Service Inventions Act (24 C (1))

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division; Sector/Region

Retrieval:

**ID Number** 

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

**LOTUS 123** 

Contact:

CRC Inst./Corp. Dev./TTO

Fax:

999-3185

Phone:

### **Technology Opportunities Database**

Technology Transfer Office

Type:

Source

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

Database containing all relevant info on technologies developed by DOC: invention and inventor's name, potential applications, patent info, security aspect etc..

Subjects:

INVENTIONS / INVENTORS / PATENTS / TECHNOLOGY

**Functions:** 

MARKETING

**Availability:** 

Worldwide

Confidentiality:

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative Requirements; Treasury Board Policy,

Procedures or Manuals

**Beneficiaries:** 

Sector/Region; DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; International Business/Organizations; General Public; Canadian

Business/Organization; Federal Institutions

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

MACINTOSH APPLE / IBM COMPATIBLE / MODEM

Software:

DBase IV

Prog Language:

**DBASE** 

Contact:

CRC Inst./Corp. Dev./TTO,

Fax:

998-3185

Phone:

# Training Database (Q&A)

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type: Mode: System Automated

Purpose:

A database query system developed by a member of DPR. It contains information on courses, trainers and trainees,

places, date, etc.

Subjects:

COURSE / COURSE EVALUATION / EXPENDITURES / OFFICIAL

LANGUAGES / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

CONTRACTS / COURSE CALENDAR / FINANCIAL REPORTS /

**LETTERS** 

**Functions:** 

CONTROLLING / MANAGING / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / PREAP

/ TRAINING

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected

**Authority:** 

**DPR** 

Beneficiaries:

Branch/Division

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thina"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

Q&A

Prog Language:

DBASE

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Phone:

### Training Information System

DPR Human Resources Planning & Development

Type:

System

Mode: Automated

Purpose: A

An automated system that contains and delivers information

based on the PREAP, Training Plan and Training Application

forms.

Subjects:

COURSE / COURSE EVALUATION / EMPLOYEE APPRAISAL /

EVALUATION / MANDATORY TRAINING / OFFICIAL

LANGUAGES / TRAINING

Products/

Services:

FINANCIAL REPORTS / STATISTICAL REPORTS

**Functions:** 

CAREER PLANNING / HUMAN RESOURCES PLANNING /

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES / PREAP / STAFFING / TRAINING

Availability:

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

Protected

**Authority:** 

**DPR** 

**Beneficiaries:** 

Branch/Division

Retrieval:

Subject or Key Word; Person/Place/"Thing"

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

**FOCUS** 

Contact:

DGHR/DPR,

Phone:

#### Translation Services

All Organizations

Type:

Service

Mode:

Combination

Purpose:

A servive providing professional services for the translation

and revision of documents.

Subjects:

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES

Products/

Services:

TRANSLATED DOCUMENTS

**Functions:** 

ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT / OFFICIAL LANGUAGES

**Availability:** 

Communications Canada

**Confidentiality:** 

General Availability

**Authority:** 

Administrative requirements; Departmental Policy,

Procedures or Manuals

**Beneficiaries:** 

All Employees; Branch/Division; Sector/Region;

DM/ADMs/ERDs/DGs; Designated Groups; MIN

Hardware:

IBM COMPATIBLE

Software:

WP 5.1

Contact:

TRA,

Fax:

952-7534

Phone:

# **GLOSSARY**

ADM Assistant Deputy Minister ADMCM Assistant Deputy Minister, Corporate Management ADMPM Assistant Deputy Minister, Policy Management ADMRS Assistant Deputy Minister, Research and Spectrum AMR Annual Management Report ARCS Allotment Recording and Controlling System BYOP Budget Year Operational Plan CP6 Honeywell Bull's Operating System CRC Communication Research Centre DAI Director, Informatics & Social Applications DGAT Director General, Administrative and Technical Services DGCP Director General, Communications Development and Planning DGHR Director General, International Relations DG Director General DM Deputy Minister DMS Director, Technical Marketing and Economic Development DOC Department of Communications
DPP Director, Strategic Planning DPR Director, Human Resources Planning and Development DSS Department of Supplies and Services
DTP Director, Research and Technology Policy EAP Employee Assistance Program EEP Employment Equity Program ERD Executive Regional Director H.R. Human Resources
IBM
IRE Information Resource Entity IWGDIS Interdepartmental Working Group
MIN
O&M Operations and Maintenance PREAP Performance Review and Employee Appraisal Program PS2000 Public Service 2000
PSC Public Sérvice Canada Q&A Questions and Answers (software) R&D Research and Development
SIDP       Space Industry Development Program         SOB       Single Operating Budget         SQL       Sequential Query Language         TB       Treasury Board
TRA Director, Translation Services TTO Technical Transfer Office WP 5.1 WordPerfect version 5.1 WFAP Work Force Adjustment Program